

# **Roles:**

## **STF COUNCILLORS**

Members elected as Councillors shall:

- a) Be a voting member of the PVTA Executive
  - i) Attend monthly PVTA Executive meetings
  - ii) Attend any additional meetings as called by the President
  - iii) Take part in member and Board engagement activities as needed
  - iv) Chair or sit as a member of Executive committees where appropriate
- b) Attend council meetings and contribute to the work of the Council, providing the perspective of the PVTA while acting on behalf of all STF members.
  - i) Shall inform the President if unable to attend meetings of Council.
  - ii) Support the development and implementation of the bylaws, policies, directions, priorities, and budget of the Federation (STF).
- c) Act as an agent of the STF within the local by:
  - i) Acquiring and providing information to members about contracts of employment, benefits, accreditation, STF policies, STF plans and activities, STF services and educational issues and trends affecting teachers.
  - ii) Supporting the development and the implementation of STF plans and policies.
  - iii) Informing the STF Executive and Administrative Staff about the needs of PVTA members and developments or issues within the PVTA.
  - iv) Maintaining relationships, both internally and externally, that facilitate influencing and information-gathering on behalf of the STF.
- d) Offer guidance to members who need assistance in their professional duties or relationships by:
  - i) Providing collegial support
  - ii) ii. Linking member to supports and services within the STF usually through the STF Senior Administrative Staff assigned to the PVTA.

## **LINC TEAM**

Members elected to LINC shall

- a) Be a voting member of the PVTA Executive
  - i) Attend monthly PVTA Executive meetings
  - ii) Attend any additional meetings as called by the President
  - iii) Take part in member and Board engagement activities as needed
  - iv) Chair or sit as a member of Executive committees where appropriate
- b) Represent members in local collective bargaining by:
  - i) Developing bargaining proposals with input from members.
  - ii) Planning and conducting negotiations.
  - iii) Negotiating release time for officers of the PVTA with the employing board of education.
  - iv) Liaising with the STF and other LINC members on matters relating to bargaining.
  - v) Monitoring the implementation of local and provincial collective bargaining agreements.